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PATENT APPLICATION
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Attorney Docket No. 01-4236

First Inventor EIDSON, W

Title AUTOMATIC VETERINARY MEDICAMENT
DELIVERY SYSTEM

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 34]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross Reference to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table,
or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

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- Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 13]

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- Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 2]

- a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
- b. ☒ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
- i. ☒ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
named in the prior application, see 37 CFR
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

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- Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or
Computer Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
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- a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
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- ii. ☐ paper
- c. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☒ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☐ Power of
Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS
Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☐ Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122
(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35
or its equivalent.
17. ☐ Other:

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☒ Continuation-in-part (CIP)

of prior application No. 08,974,351

Prior application information:

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Group Art Unit: 3762

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Application Number	
Filing Date	
First Named Inventor	EIDSON, W
Examiner Name	THISSELL
Group Art Unit	3762
Attorney Docket No.	01-4236

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Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101 710	201 355	Utility filing fee	355
106 320	206 160	Design filing fee	
107 490	207 245	Plant filing fee	
108 710	208 355	Reissue filing fee	
114 150	214 75	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) **355****2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES**

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
31	-20** = 11	9	153
9	-3** = 5	40	200
			135

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description
103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 80	202 40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 270	204 135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 80	209 40	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) **488**

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105 130	205 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127 50	227 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139 130	139 130	Non-English specification	
147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
112 920*	112 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113 1,840*	113 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115 110	215 55	Extension for reply within first month	
116 390	216 195	Extension for reply within second month	
117 890	217 445	Extension for reply within third month	
118 1,390	218 695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128 1,890	228 945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119 310	219 155	Notice of Appeal	
120 310	220 155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121 270	221 135	Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140 110	240 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141 1,240	241 620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142 1,240	242 620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143 440	243 220	Design issue fee	
144 600	244 300	Plant issue fee	
122 130	122 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123 50	123 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e)	
126 180	126 180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581 40	581 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40
146 710	246 355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149 710	249 355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179 710	279 355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169 900	169 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

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Patent Application of: Wilbur Eidson, et al.

Declaration and Associate Power of Attorney

Drawings, 13 pgs.

Assignment Cover Letter (2 copies)

Assignment

Utility Patent Application Transmittal form

Fee Transmittal form

Application Data Sheet

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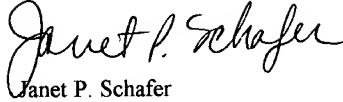
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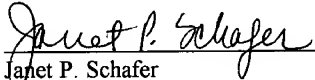
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Re: Inventor: Wilbur L. Eidson, et. al.
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a Continuation-in-part application of Serial No.: 08/974,351, filed 11/19/97
Serial No.:
Filed: August 8, 2001
Examiner/GAU: Thissell, J./3762
Atty Docket No.: 01-4236

Sir:

Enclosed please find for filing a copy of the original declaration filed for the above-identified patent application of which the presently filed application is a continuation-in-part application. One inventor, Lester Zehner, has been deleted from the current application because the subject matter of which he was the inventor has been dropped from the new application.

The below signing attorney is a registered attorney and also the attorney of record for this application and therefore satisfies the requirements of a signed statement under 37 CFR 1.63(d) and 1.33(b) deleting an inventor.

Also enclosed please find for filing a Patent Recordation cover sheet and a copy of the assignment filed previously. Also enclosed, as further proof of the assignment to Eidson Associates, is a copy of an agreement between Jon Mathisrud and Eidson Associates. Mr. Wilbur Eidson is a principal of Eidson Associates. These documents are presented to establish that Eidson Associates Inc. is the assignee and has a right to prosecute this application under 37 CFR 3.73(b).

Should any additional information or fee be required in connection with the entry and consideration of this Amendment, authorization is given to charge my deposit account #19-0268 and to notify the undersigned attorney of record thereof.

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